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House Bill 1090 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

- 1 To amend Article 11 of Chapter 3 of Title 12 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated,
- 2 relating to the Georgia Agrirama Development Authority, so as to abolish the Georgia
- 3 Agrirama Development Authority; to provide that the Board of Regents of the University
- 4 System of Georgia shall be the successor to such authority and shall continue all functions
- 5 of the authority without interruption; to provide for an assumption of assets and liabilities;
- 6 to provide for contracts; to provide for related matters; to provide for an effective date; to
- 7 repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

9 SECTION 1.

- 10 Article 11 of Chapter 3 of Title 12 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the
- 11 Georgia Agrirama Development Authority, is amended by revising subsection (c) of Code
- 12 Section 12-3-651, relating to the Georgia Agrirama Development Authority, as follows:
- "(c) The authority shall exist for 99 years through June 30, 2010."
- 14 SECTION 2.
- 15 Said article is further amended by adding a new Code section to read as follows:
- 16 "<u>12-3-662.</u>

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- 17 (a) After June 30, 2010, the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia shall
- be the successor to and a continuation of the authority and shall continue the mission of the
- 19 <u>authority.</u>
- 20 (b) The change of the governance of the State Museum of Agriculture and its continuation,
- as provided in this Code section, shall in no way affect any existing obligations, liabilities,
- or rights of the authority as such existed on June 30, 2010. All such obligations, liabilities,
- and rights are transferred to, vested in, and assumed by the Board of Regents of the
- 24 University System of Georgia. All existing contracts and agreements between any party
- and the authority shall not be affected by this Code section but shall continue in full force

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26 and effect, without interruption, as contracts or agreements of the Board of Regents of the

- 27 <u>University System of Georgia.</u>
- 28 (c) All right, title, interest, and ownership of all assets, including all real estate, of the
- 29 <u>authority are transferred to and vested in the Board of Regents of the University System</u>
- 30 of Georgia."
- 31 SECTION 3.
- 32 This Act shall become effective upon its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law
- 33 without such approval.
- 34 SECTION 4.
- 35 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.